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HOUSING & URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 21st November, 2014

S.R.O. No. 524/2014—Whereas, the State Government in Housing & Urban Development Department notification No. 42484, dated the 22nd December 1998 have specified the area described in the schedule to the said notification as “transitional area”.

And, whereas, the State Government in the said Department in notification No. 42488 and 42501, dated the 22nd December, 1998 have constituted Dhamnagar Notified Area Council in the District of Bhadrak and appoint the Sub-Collector, Bhadrak as Administrator to exercise the powers, discharge the duties and perform the functions of Dhamnagar Notified Area Council till a Council is constituted for the said area;

And, whereas, the aforesaid notification issued in Nos. 42488 and 42501, dated the 22nd December, 1998 were challenged before the Hon'ble High Court Orissa in OJC No. 124 of 1999 & OJC No. 290 of 1999 and Hon'ble Court by an interim order dated the 18th January, 1999 directed that no further steps should be taken pursuant to the said notification;

And, whereas, the Hon'ble High Court in their order dated the 6th November, 2007 and order dated the 4th January, 2008 have dismissed the aforesaid writ petitions;

And, whereas, after receipt of said orders of Hon'ble High Court it is expedient to take further action on said notification and appoint Administrator afresh to perform the function of the Dhamnagar Notified Area Council.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section(1) of Section 423 of the Odisha Municipal Act, 1950 (Odisha Act 23 of 1950), and in suppression of

Government in Housing & Urban Development Department notification No. 42501-spl-con-20/1998/H& UD., dated the 22nd December, 1998 published in Extraordinary *Odisha Gazette* No. 1706, dated the 23rd December , 1998. the State Government do here by appoint Additional District Magistrate Bhadrak as Administrator, who shall exercise the powers discharge the duties and perform the functions of the Dhamnagar Notified Area Council including that of its Chairperson in addition to his own duties until a council is constituted for the said area in accordance with the provisions of the said Act.

[No. 23620-Ele.-87/2014/HUD.]

By Order of the Governor

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